

The Arkansas Gazette, which is jumping for a 3 per cent state tax (the rate now is 2 per cent) in the special session of the legislature this week, published an editorial Wednesday quoting my April 6 speech before Hope Rotary on taxation and the school financial crisis.

To my charge that it is unjust to use the sales tax while real property and livestock are assessed at even if taxes were raised at a local level they wouldn't be effective until October, 1952. And then the Gazette quotes Governor McMath as asking the legislature: "But what are our schools going to do in the meantime?" Concludes the Gazette editorially: "The Governor said he hoped at the next two years or so that local communities will bear more of the cost of maintaining their schools."

I've got something to say to both the governor and the Gazette. To the governor: I didn't know at this local school districts got to this trouble all by themselves.

I thought they were helped into bankruptcy by the extravagant promises of the State Department.

To the Gazette: The worth of every institution is measured by its own community. Hope, where I own and edit a newspaper, is a 1950 school district assessment that is 21 per cent higher than in 1929, after deducting annexations. El Dorado, where I edited a newspaper before coming to Hope, has an increase of 8 per cent. What I want to know of the Arkansas Gazette is: How does the assessment picture stack up in its own town of Little Rock?

The Gazette is mighty handsome about levying on Hope a 3 per cent sales tax, knowing that just 34 miles west of us is tax-free Texarkana—the shoppers' promised land.

But when the original 2 per cent sales tax was being advocated back in 1934-35 the Gazette had nothing to say for it. I carried that fight here myself, and in final enactment of the bill in March, 1935, even our two county representatives voted against it.

Now the Gazette's red-hot for making the sales tax 3 per cent instead of 2—and the Gazette's theory about this. The Little Rock property owners, with a decade-and-a-half's experience under the sales tax, decided they've struck it rich.

Instead of maintaining their own schools in the largest and richest city of the state, they mark down property assessments, draw on state aid—and when state aid breaks down they mark up the sales tax on all of us.

The Hall 2 per cent states sales tax is pouring 23½ millions dollars a year new money into the state's school fund—but somebody got it.

When the gravy train is robbed you can figure the longest arms and the biggest hands belong to the center of population and seat of politicians. It is common report among school men that Little Rock is opposed to the 1951 enactment known as the "Minimum School Budget Law," which would curtail state aid to districts that refuse to do their share of tax-collecting at the local level.

Little Rock opposes the 1951 assessment reform. The Gazette, a Little Rock paper, wants the sales tax increased. How small in spirit can a town and paper get?

Other revenue sources are available in the school emergency, and we'll support anything within reason. But not the sales tax increase. Property can't move. But people can—and do.

Patmos Plans Youth Center, Melon Festival

Plans for a youth recreation center were formulated at the Wednesday night meeting of SWAP. It was proposed that a lighted outdoor arena be constructed in such a manner that it might be used for games and youth activities in the Patmos community.

Details and supervision of project are under the direction of the following: Paul McClellan, E. M. Stanley, Lester Kent, Mrs. Byron Camp, Mrs. K. G. Ratliff, Mrs. Cannon Hollis, Mrs. Jimmy Griffin and Mrs. Gary Formby.

SWAP voted to sponsor Hemphreys county Watermelon Festival again this year. It was the opinion of members present that better relations between growers, shippers and consumers of Hemphreys county melons resulted from last year's event.

It was also voted that the Patmos community meet with a county committee to select community and date for festival.

Final check up meeting on finances for farmers supply store will be held at Hemphreys county court house Saturday, April 14, at 1 p. m., according to chairman of finance, Theo. Middlebrook.

Between 1949 and 1950, more than 100,000 melons were sold from the county.

House Balks at Senate-Passed Sales Tax Bill

Little Rock, April 12 — (AP) — A proposed sales tax increase for benefit of Arkansas public schools and state-supported colleges may be meeting the same fate in the special legislative session that it did in the regular session — with some variations.

The senate yesterday passed a bill to boost the tax from two per cent to three per cent for a period to end Dec. 31, 1952.

But in the house, a similar bill was loaded down with a bunch of amendments. Some of the changes were proposed by representatives openly hostile to any increase in the sales tax. One will make the bill more difficult to pass.

During the regular session, a bill for temporary increase was passed in the senate but was blocked in the house.

The house amendments yesterday exempted a long list of articles, including seed, feed and fertilizer, foods and drugs, from provisions of the bill; set the expiration date for Dec. 31, 1951 and said that first money derived should be used to give increases for classroom teachers.

And Rep. Paul Van Dalsem, leader of a group opposing a sales tax increase, obtained adoption of an amendment to give welfare clients 15 per cent of the expected new revenue, estimated at \$12,000,000 or more a year.

Speaker James R. Campbell ruled that this revision would mean that a two-thirds vote would be required for passage of the bill rather than a bare majority.

The house also received the bill which the senate passed, 19-13. It was read once in the house. Three readings are required before a final vote.

There were other matters relating to public education in both chambers yesterday.

The senate passed a bill for an audit of the state education department. An audit commission would be selected by the legislators in caucuses of senators and representatives from each congressional district. The author, Sen. Grover C. Carnes of Stuttgart, said he believed the commission would have authority to investigate local school districts as well as the state department.

School Honor Graduates Announced

The four highest 3-year honor graduates of the Senior Class of Hope High School have been announced by Forney G. Holt, principal. They will be speakers at the commencement exercises at Hammond Stadium on May 24, at 7:00 p. m.

These students and their grade averages are: Caroline Hawthorne, salutatorian, 9.84; Shirley White, valedictorian, 9.81; Wilma Coleman, 9.81; and Bobby Ross, 9.55.

Their respective parents are: Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hawthorne, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. White, Mr. and Mrs. C. Coleman and Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Ross.

"Youth Faces Its Problems" has been selected as the general theme of their talks. Their topics in order of appearance are: "Problems of the Individual," Bobby Ross, "Problems of the Groups," Wilma Coleman; "Problems of the Community," Shirley White; and "Problems of the Nation," Caroline Hawthorne.

Dorothy Hulsey, a one year student who transferred from Washington, has a 9.0 grade average. High ranking two year students and their grade averages are: Helen Power, a transfer student from Nashville, 5.75; and Virginia Mitchell, a transfer student from Columbus, 5.83.

Girls' State Delegates Are Selected

Two outstanding Hope High School juniors have been chosen to represent Hope at the annual Girls' State meeting at Camp Robinson, Little Rock, on June 2-9.

Mrs. Joe Reese, Girls' State chairman of the American Legion Auxiliary, announced that Hope's representatives will be Ann Barr and Jackie Holt. Miss Barr is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Barr and Miss Holt is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Holt.

Selection is made by high school faculty members and is based on scholastic standard, character and school spirit.

Fried of Boys' Father Flanagan, founder of Boys' Town, was born in Pennsylvania, Ireland, on July 13, 1866.



HISTORIC MEETING OF TRUMAN AND MAC ARTHUR—President Harry Truman, left, shakes hands with General Douglas MacArthur during historic meeting on Wake Island in October of 1950, when they conferred on American Far Eastern policy. The President relieved the 5-star general of all of his commands. (NEA Telephoto)



RIDGWAY NAMED TO SUCCEED MAC ARTHUR—Lt. General Matthew B. Ridgway, left, has been named by President Truman to succeed General Douglas MacArthur, who was relieved of his command. At right, Lt. General James A. Van Fleet, who has been named to succeed Ridgway as commander of 8th Army in Korea. (NEA Telephoto)

Regardless of Feelings the MacArthur Incident Could Only Happen in a Democracy

By HAL BOYLE

New York — (AP) — Behind the national sadness and angry controversy over the dismissal of Douglas MacArthur there is a great question mark.

Did this great general of the army deliberately stand taps on his own splendid military career?

Was he only taking a "calculated risk" in repeatedly defying Washington, or was he trying to provoke his dismissal to dramatize to the American people his own strong held views on the world's political and military danger.

This question today is in the minds of many who know the general and know his past. But the secret is locked behind his own sturdy combed pipe.

Why did "Mac" do it? Why at the age of 71 did this lifelong soldier violate the first principle of the soldier's trade — unquestioning obedience to his superior officers?

Oply MacArthur himself knows the answer. But the record clearly shows that the general twice disobeyed an order by President Truman to clear all statements on military policy with the department of state before releasing them to the public.

He knew the soldier's code. He twice broke it — and for that the President relieved him. MacArthur knew the price and he paid it.

He cannot question the authority of the President to take the action he did. Had ex-artillery Captain Harry Truman served under MacArthur in the First World War and twice disobeyed his orders it is likely Truman would have been court-martialed. MacArthur himself brooks no disobedience in his command.

Then why did "Mac" do it? Many are conjecturing as to his reasons. Their viewpoint depends upon what they think of him. And few military figures of American history have been more highly venerated or more deeply disliked.

Like that other general who became a legend in his lifetime, the late George S. Patton Jr., he stirs people emotionally. Few feel indifferent to him.

Those who resent his flamboyant self-confidence say: "He has been a great general, but he is developed a god complex. He thinks he knows all the answers. President Truman gave him the command of the Far East Command, and he was a disaster."

Those who love him say: "He was a great general, but he is developed a god complex. He thinks he knows all the answers. President Truman gave him the command of the Far East Command, and he was a disaster."

Jet Planes Take Spotlight in Korea Fighting

Tokyo, April 12 — (AP) — American warplanes shot down five enemy jets, probably destroyed two more and damaged 15 today in two roaring air fights over northwest Korea.

All America planes came safely out of the battle.

One of the thunderous clashes was the biggest jet fight in history. It involved 152 jet planes—80 Russian-made MIG-15s and 72 American F-86s and F-84s—and about 40 B-29 medium bombers.

On the ground, two Chinese divisions pulled back suddenly and mysteriously on the central front. American troops pushed cautiously ahead in their wage against no opposition. Staff officers said they were pulled by the enemy withdrawal.

The two Red divisions Wednesday bitterly opposed Allied crossings of the Han River south of Chonwon. They fought from the craggy hills north of the river.

But they broke contact Wednesday night.

South Korean troops on the east coast stabbed 20 miles into North Korea in the deepest Redland penetration of the current United Nations drive.

In history's biggest jet battle, the 80 MIGs swooshed out of Red Manchuria against 72 U. S. jets flying cover for 30 to 40 U. S. B-29 Superfortresses. The B-29s dropped 300 tons of bombs on the vital railroad bridge across the Yalu river between Antung, Manchuria, and Sinuiju, Korea.

The American jets shot down two MIGs, probably destroyed two others and damaged 13.

A B-29 gunner brought down a third Red jet. B-29s also damaged another Red jet.

Two B-29s were damaged but landed safely in Korea. The others returned to their Japanese or Okinawa bases.

The second air battle flared later Thursday in the center of "MIG alley" between Sinuiju and Wonsanju. In this action 15 Communist jets attacked 12 American Sabre jets.

The Sabres shot down two Red jets and probably destroyed another. The fight raged for 15 minutes from 34,000 down to 4,000 feet altitude.

Other Allied planes in 672 flights reported more than 500 Reds killed or wounded Thursday, the greatest claim against troops in the past three weeks. The fighters strafed troop columns of 5,000 soldiers near ANAK and 1,000 Reds near Chaeryong.

In the ground fighting, the Allies used bayonets and hand grenades in carving out two small beachheads Wednesday on the Han River north bank.

The Reds tried to halt the United Nations advance with heavy mortar and grenade fire.

The stiff Communist opposition led officers at first to believe they had a new Iron Curtain enemy in divisions to North Korea.

MacArthur had to fight a delaying war in the Pacific the last time because the European war zone had a priority in both men and weapons. Now he sees the same thing happening again. And he thinks if we don't join up with Chiang Kai-shek now and beat Red China we will lose all Asia—and Europe, too. He stuck out his own neck to get the government to do the only thing he thinks can save America.

Why did "Mac" do it? The old hero is coming back to his own homeland soon after 14 years away. He is going to take out his combed pipe and give his own answer—to congress and the people.

Did he do it through pique or pride, ignorance or insight? Is he wrong? Or are Truman, Acheson, Marshall, Bradley, and Eisenhower wrong? Congress and the people will make up their minds about that.

It could happen only in a democracy. And only in a democracy that is working.

Child Succumbs to Diphtheria in Doctor's Office

Janice line Chambliss, 2, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Chambliss of near Hope, died yesterday in a doctor's office where she was taken for treatment. Death was attributed to diphtheria.

She is also survived by a brother, Bobby, and a sister, Mrs. Pauline Knox of Houston and grandmothers Mrs. E. C. Tester and Mrs. S. W. Chambliss.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p. m. Friday at Hammond-Corbett Chapel, and burial at Pleasant Hill in Nevada County with the Rev. Elmer C. Coffey officiating.

Patmos Senior Play Friday

The Patmos senior class will present its annual play, "Wedding Night," in the high school auditorium at 7:30 p. m. Friday, April 13. Admission is 20 and 30 cents. The play is directed by Mr. J. H. Harkness.

MacArthur Issue Rages President Tells People Reason for Removal

Possible 'Mac' May Fly Home Within a Week

Washington, April 12 — (AP) — House Republican Leader Martin of Massachusetts said today "there is a possibility" General Douglas MacArthur may fly back to the United States next week to address congress.

Martin made the announcement to newsmen following an early morning session of the House Republican policy committee.

"There is a possibility," he said, "that General MacArthur will fly back next week and will be available to address congress sooner than the three weeks mentioned earlier."

He was the deposed general to return from Japan by ship.

Republicans, furiously angry at President Truman for firing the general, are sponsoring a resolution inviting MacArthur to address a joint meeting of the senate and the house.

The house rules committee will consider the resolution tomorrow and Martin said he is confident both the committee and the house will approve it. He said he doesn't expect administration Democrats to fight the invitation proposal.

As for the senate's attitude, Martin said he didn't know.

On the Democratic side, Senator Kerr of Oklahoma declared MacArthur — fired by President Truman — won't do it the way the Republicans propose if he, Kerr, can prevent it. How, Kerr said, partly help the Oklahoma oil vote on that score remained undecided.

Senator Wherry of Nebraska, the GOP leader, told reporters he will continue to press for action on a resolution he offered yesterday. It would invite MacArthur to return to Washington at once to tell his side of the story at a joint meeting of congress.

Senator McFarland of Arizona, the Democratic leader, blocked consideration of the Wherry measure. And Wherry acknowledged that the parliamentary situation practically rules out any action today.

An identical resolution was introduced in the house by Rep. Martin (Mass), the minority floor leader. It probably will be considered by the house rules committee Friday.

Martin talked to MacArthur in Tokyo by telephone and said the general is willing and eager to accept a congressional invitation.

Informed sources in Tokyo said MacArthur definitely will come to the United States as soon as possible.

Kerron, critic of MacArthur, called the GOP proposal to have the five-star general address congress a "very, very unwise" idea. Kerr said that instead of letting MacArthur tell one story, the dismissed Far Eastern commander should go before the senate and house armed services committees.

Additional Facts About Cast of Senior Play

(This is the fourth in a series of articles relating activities of members of the cast of the Hope High School Senior play, "Arsenic and Old Lace," a comedy in three acts by Joseph Kesselring, to be presented April 20.)

Jerry Bowden, drum major of the band, has been a member of the band for four years. Jerry, business manager for both the "Vocals" and "Hi-Lite" staffs, is vice-president of the National Honor Society. He is a member of the Key Club, the Theatrical Society, and has been a member of the baseball team for two years.

Jerry plays the part of Dr. Harper, Elaine's father.

Mac Hooper, stage manager of the play, is president of the Theatrical Society. He is also a member of the Hi-Lite staff and of the Bobcat football team.

Mac is cast as Officer O'Hara. Bill Gunter is president of both the Senior class and the Key Club. Bill has been a member of the Bobcat football and baseball squads for four years, and of the basketball team for two years. Bill was chosen most popular and best all-around by the Who's Who of the Senior Class.

Bill will play the part of Mr. Hooper.

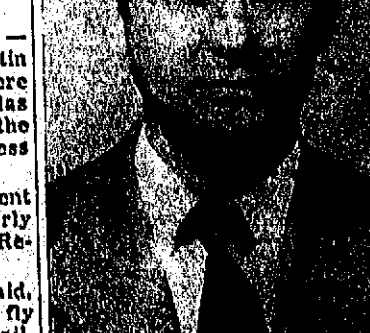
Rev. Fred Harrison to Be Honored

Headrick College, Conway, will confer the honorary degree of Doctor of Divinity upon the Rev. Fred Harrison, pastor of the First Methodist Church of Texarkana, at its commencement June 1.

Mr. Harrison is a graduate of the college. He was formerly pastor of the First Methodist Church of Hope.

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Says General Wants to Stay in War in Asia



General Douglas MacArthur, who was relieved of his command, is expected to return to the United States next week to address congress.

Winford S. Huckabee, native of Hope, has been appointed representative of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Co. here. It was announced today by Ed Morris, assistant manager of this district. He succeeded Capt. George Miller, who was called back into active service.

Mr. Huckabee has lived here all his life. His wife is the former Mary Sue Phillips.

During the last war he served 36 months with the 4th Central Postal Directory, England, under Gen. George Patton. His unit was awarded the highest decoration of the French Government, the "Croix de Guerre" for the defense of Metz and Luxembourg against the Nazis in the Battle of the Bulge.

Following the war he returned to his old job at George W. Robinson & Co. as salesman and manager of the shoe department.

Mr. Huckabee will be in Atlanta, Ga., where he will attend to the business of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Co. He will return home April 23.

Famous Stone Enroute to England

Glasgow, Scotland, April 12 — (AP) — The sandstone slab found in the Scottish city of Aberdeen was identified today as Britain's missing Stone of Scone. It was prepared to return to London by a special train.

The stone, which was found in 1872, was taken to Aberdeen by a Scottish privateer, who was then a member of the British Army. The stone was used for centuries in the coronation of kings of Scotland and England, turned up yesterday on the high altar of Aberdeen's ancient abbey, a Scottish shrine.

Two detectives from Scotland Yard, London's central police headquarters, made certain the stone was the real thing by lifting it to a corner fragment that had been knocked off when it was stolen.

Police maintained a tight security guard around the building where the 450-pound stone was being kept this morning.

Members of one Scottish Nationalist group, which complained the stone had been "stolen" from Scotland, announced they would after it. Scottish Nationalists have maintained they took the stone from Westminster Abbey after a symbol of their fight for home rule in Scotland. The stone had been a Scottish treasure since it was captured in 1296 by King Edward the First of England after his war with Scotland.

A capely crowd in the Hope College is anticipated for this event. Several thousand tickets have already gone out into the country.

The Master of Ceremonies for the program will be Horace Kennedy of Magnolia. Mr. Kennedy is well known in and around Hope for his work in the music field.

Many valuable prizes, including a Gruen wrist watch and several hundred dollars in cash, will be given away to the best contestants. Anyone who can play, sing, or dance can enter the contest. All entrants must send their application to Bob Daniels or contact him here.

Oldtime Macs Right on Weather

An old ballad that rhymes "Mac" with "weather" was sung by a group of oldtime Macs at a meeting of the Macs' Club in Hope, Ark., on April 10.

A "bitter wind" from the north was blowing down the river and several oldtime Macs were singing "Mac's Right on Weather."

The Macs' Club is a group of oldtime Macs who meet regularly in Hope, Ark. The club was organized in 1949 and has since then been a popular gathering place for oldtime Macs in the area.

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Weather Forecast

Arkansas: Fair, with occasional showers. Scattered light rain tonight. Friday fair, warmer, with showers in afternoon.

Hope: Fair, with occasional showers. Scattered light rain tonight. Friday fair, warmer, with showers in afternoon.

Little Rock: Fair, with occasional showers. Scattered light rain tonight. Friday fair, warmer, with showers in afternoon.

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Mobile: Fair, with occasional showers. Scattered light rain tonight. Friday fair, warmer, with showers in afternoon.

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Dallas: Fair, with occasional showers. Scattered light rain tonight. Friday fair, warmer, with showers in afternoon.

Fort Worth: Fair, with occasional showers. Scattered light rain tonight. Friday fair, warmer, with showers in afternoon.

Phoenix: Fair, with occasional showers. Scattered light rain tonight. Friday fair, warmer, with showers in afternoon.

San Diego: Fair, with occasional showers. Scattered light rain tonight. Friday fair, warmer, with showers in afternoon.

Albuquerque: Fair, with occasional showers. Scattered light rain tonight. Friday fair, warmer, with showers in afternoon.

Denver: Fair, with occasional showers. Scattered light rain tonight. Friday fair, warmer, with showers in afternoon.

Salt Lake City: Fair, with occasional showers. Scattered light rain tonight. Friday fair, warmer, with showers in afternoon.

Defeat of Ceiling in Army
 The House today defeated a bill to set a ceiling on the number of troops in the army. The bill, which would have limited the number of troops to 175,000, was defeated by a vote of 102 to 164. The bill was introduced by Rep. Clegg (D-N.Y.) and was supported by a number of Democrats. The bill was defeated because of opposition from the military establishment and from a number of Republicans. The military establishment felt that the bill would interfere with the army's ability to defend the country. The Republicans felt that the bill was unnecessary and that it would waste money.

Is The Day For Backache
 The day is here when the backache is a common complaint. The cause of the backache is often a simple one, such as a bad posture or a heavy load. But sometimes the backache is a sign of a more serious condition, such as a hernia or a spinal disease. If you have a backache, it is important to see a doctor. The doctor will examine you and determine the cause of the backache. If the backache is a simple one, the doctor will recommend rest and a change of posture. If the backache is a sign of a more serious condition, the doctor will recommend surgery or other treatment.

Public Hearing on Tampering
 Little Rock, April 12.—The House committee today held a public hearing on a bill to investigate alleged tampering with the house journal during or after the regular 1931 legislative session. The committee says the journal record of the vote on the emergency clause of the new "liberated" state purchase law (act 242 of 1931) was changed to show the house adopted the clause when actually it was defeated. A committee of the Pulaski County grand jury made an investigation of the alleged alteration but passed the matter back to the house itself. The house has voted to adjourn at 2 p. m. today so the journal committee may use its chamber for the public hearing.

Small Clearance
 A human hair would have to be split into four equal pieces to fit between the piston and cylinder bore of the modern automobile engine.

Largest Sapphire
 World's largest star sapphire is the Black Star of Queensland. This giant gem originally weighed 1,136 carats, but now is 723 carats in its finished state.

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PARTY GIRDLE WITH GARTERS			6.95	5.95	4.95
GARTER GIRDLE			6.95	5.95	4.95
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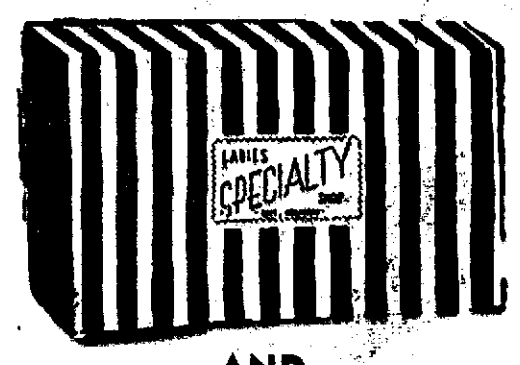
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Calendar

Thursday, April 12
The regular monthly meeting of the Hope B. & P. W. Club will be held at 7:30 o'clock at the Barlow Hotel. The Prescott B. & P. W. Club will be guests.

Friday, April 13
Paisley P. T. A. Father's night will be held Friday at 7:30 in the school auditorium. A short program will be presented by the children followed by a bake sale. The public is invited.

The V. F. W. Auxiliary will have a call business meeting at 7:30 p. m. Friday at the hut.

The Camellia Garden Club will meet in the home of Mrs. Forrest Halyr at 2 o'clock Friday with Mrs. Dexter Bailey and Mrs. Dale Barnum, co-hostess. All members are urged to be present.

Wednesday, April 18
The Brookwood study group chairman, Mrs. Wade Warren has announced a meeting for Wednesday at 3 o'clock in the school auditorium. Mrs. Jim McKenzie will speak to the group.

John Cain Chapter DAR Holds Business Meeting
The John Cain Chapter of DAR met at 12:30 O'clock Wednesday, April 11 for a regular business meeting. Hostesses were Mrs. James LaGrossa, Mrs. Dick Watkins, Mrs. J. G. Martindale and Mrs. R. M. LaGrone, Jr.

The table held a lovely arrangement of azaleas, dutch iris and spirea.

The salute to the flag and the opening ritual were led by Mrs. Wilbur Jones, regent, and Mrs. J. J. Battle, chaplain. The national anthem was sung by the group.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read by Mrs. Lee Holt. Plans were made for a Caddo district flag day meeting to be held here June 14 with a luncheon at Hotel Barlow.

Hostesses for the next meeting on May 9, which will feature a national Music Week, will be Mrs. Charles Locke of Ozan, Miss Mary Catts, Washington, and Mrs. Herbert Lewallen.

Fidels Class First Baptist Church
The Fidels Class of the First Baptist Church met Wednesday evening in the home of Mrs. W. M. Hargis with Mrs. Thomas Compton as co-hostess.

The Hargis home was beautifully decorated with arrangements of irises and greenery.

The meeting was opened with the Lord's Prayer. Mrs. W. M. Schooley, president, presided over the business meeting and Mrs. L. F. Higginson brought the devotional.

The group enjoyed games and contests after which a delightful dessert plate was served to the members present.

Brookwood P. T. A. Elects New Officers
The Brookwood P. T. A. met Wednesday, April 11 at 3:30 p. m. Mrs. Elmer Brown opened the meeting with prayer. The president, Mrs. Delton Houston, presided over the business session. It was announced that \$36 was the profit made on the Easter eggs sold by the group.

The new officers for the year 1951-1952 were announced as follows: Mrs. George H. Bright, president; Mrs. Dick Watkins, vice-president; Mrs. Ben Owen, secretary; and Mrs. Hubert Thrash, treasurer.

The program committee for the coming year was appointed by Mrs. Wright as follows: Mrs. Dick Watkins, chairman, Mrs. Elmer Brown and Mrs. Delton Houston.

Mrs. Elmer Brown's room won the \$1 in the room count. Miss Neva Kennon, elementary school supervisor, gave a very interesting talk on "The Art of Living."

The next meeting will be the installation of officers to be held in the high school auditorium in May.

Coming and Going

Mr. and Mrs. William Routon have returned from a two weeks vacation spent at Miami Beach and other points in Florida. Enroute home the visited relatives at Mobile, Ala., and New Orleans, La.

Pvt. Martin Anderson of Ft. Sil, Oklahoma, is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Anderson.

Hospital Notes

JULIA CHESTER
Admitted—Mrs. Pauline Morris, Hope, Mrs. William E. Findley, Manhattan, Kansas.
Discharged—Mrs. H. W. Lowe Texarkana, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Whitfield, Rt. 2, Hope, announce the arrival of a daughter, Judy Kay, 4-11-51.

Mr. and Mrs. William E. Findley, Manhattan, Kansas, announce the arrival of a son, Martin Dale, 4-11-51. The grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Martindale, Hope and Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Findley, Cleveland, Ohio.

BRANCH
Admitted—Mrs. Jessie Marcum, Hope.
Discharged—Mr. W. L. Lentz, Blevins. Mrs. A. E. Shusser, Hope.

Reaction Is Varied Over the Nation
By United Press

The Truman-MacArthur controversy raged from coast to coast today with the President and secretary of state buried in effigy and women organizing a petition parade on Washington.

Public opinion apparently was strongly on the side of deposed Gen. Douglas MacArthur.

At Ponca City, Okla., Harry L. Thompson, 29, touched a match last night to a gasoline-soaked dummy representing the President and Secretary of State Dean Acheson.

A veteran of 36 combat missions over Germany during World War II, Thompson was fired shortly after as field representative of the citizen-financed non-partisan Oklahoma expenditures council. "I'm willing to take the consequences," he said, "and I'd do it again."

A dummy labeled "Harry S. Truman" dangled from a flagpole at San Gabriel, Calif., college of medical technicians for hours yesterday before it was cut down by police.

The Minute Women of Maryland at Baltimore said they could "march on Washington" before the day is over to demand that MacArthur be given a chance to tell his side of the story.

In New York, union officials ordered AFL longshoremen to begin a two-hour work stoppage at 11 a. m. EST on the north river section of the waterfront in protest against the MacArthur dismissal.

Cries of impeachment that rumbled through the nation's capital yesterday echoed through the Republican congressional campaign committee last night. Rep. Leonard Hall, (R-N. Y.), committee chairman, said 5,178 persons had urged removal of the President in calls and telegrams.

The "sip and bite" restaurant at Columbus, O., urged its patrons to come in and "sign petitions to impeach Truman." Proprietor Ed Figner, 52, said he had 300 signatures within the first few hours.

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Cotton Loop's
Clarksdale
Has New Team

This is one of a series of stories on the prospects of Cotton League baseball teams.

Clarksdale, Miss., April 12 — (AP) — New Manager Jim Pruett has only three men returning from last year's Clarksdale baseball team, but he isn't pessimistic about the team's chances in the 1951 Cotton States League baseball race.

The three returning players are Third Baseman David Dick, Shortstop George Foster and Outfielder Willie Overstreet. Dick was with the team all last year, while Overstreet came at midseason and Foster was optioned to Harlan, Ky., of the Mountain States League early in the year. He was recalled after the season.

The trio gives Pruett a nucleus for a good team and the manager has things pretty well under control everywhere except in the pitching staff.

Pitching has been a weakness of the Planters for several seasons, but Pruett hopes to get a staff in shape before play begins next week.

Only one hurler, Righthander Howard Rosenfield, is in camp now. He was bought as a free agent. However, he has been promised by Nashville, Tenn., Tampa, Fla., and Raleigh, N. C.

With his two returning players, Pruett has fashioned a capable infield, adding First Baseman Pete Christy and Second Baseman Hugh Clapp.

Christy played first for Pine Bluff in 1948-49. He was bought from Raleigh of the Class B Carolina League. Clapp was bought from St. Petersburg, Fla.

Most of the catching chores will be handled by John Crocker, optioned down from Nashville of the Southern association. Crocker was with Baton Rouge, La., of the Evangeline League last year.

Joining in the outfield are Jack Rinnott, Joe Pierce and Hutch Tatti. Rinnott is a veteran purchased from St. Petersburg, Bateman from Fort Smith, Ark. Pierce from Ellenville, Miss., and Tatti, optioned from Raleigh, are rookies.

Pierce was slated for first, but was switched after Christy reported. Tatti shows promise as a pitcher and may be used as a mound man.

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CBS—9 a. m. Godfrey.
ABC—10:30 a. m. Quick as a Flash.
MBS—11 a. m. Kate Smith.

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FAMILY FOXHOLE—Latest entry in the parade of home bomb shelters is this dome-roofed, concrete structure, which San Francisco builders say can be installed in your back yard for \$1250. The 12 1/2-ton house sleeps six comfortably or 20 in an emergency. When not in use as protection against aerial attack, it doubles as utility room or guest house. The 14-inch-thick dome and eight-inch walls should be adequate protection from the weather.

SPORTS ROUNDUP

By Hugh Fullerton, Jr.

Cincinnati, April 12 — (AP) — Willie Ketchum's summary of the Farnham, who speaks almost no English, won over the fans by bowing and smiling while they booed him before the fight and when they cheered afterward — and by his naive question to the boxing commissioner: "Excuse first please?"

The only guy who wasn't pleased was a writer who asked some question in the dressing room and took a good poke in the stomach as Ray tried to show how he had fought.

Hopeful remark: "Excuse first please?" The year the hero was shipping ten-year-old kids was to another Babe Parilli or Bob Gam. You see 'em out on the streets with a number 10 on their backs throwing passes. They used to call Willie Jones or Alex Groza.

Rebound Off The Pasteboards
At the Kentucky basketball dinner someone told of a visit paid to Assistant Coach Harry Lancaster during the NCAA tournament in Minneapolis. The visitors were a high school coach and his 6-9 1/2 pupil.

Lancaster went to see Russ Adolph Rupp and explained: "I need a couple of tickets for a high school coach coming to see me."

Rupp protested: "But Harry, we've already given away all the game tickets."

Harry gently corrected him: "For a coach with a kid 6-9 1/2, we got tickets."

Scrap Collection
Pennsylvania Commissioner Ox Dugross has asked the NBA to withhold action against the Williams for not defending the lightweight title he won in 1949 because he has promised to defend it next August.

Procy Arch Hindman of the NBA is expecting some sort of a decision from the member states next week, but he notes that Joey Maxin got his "defend or else" order only about a year after he won the title and he was told after two years to fight by March 21.

Clarence Hartwick says he considers Sickles' lounge, now at Kenwood, as a death prospect and he doesn't expect to run the fight in the Kentucky Oaks unless she fails to qualify for the bigger race.

Newsman and radio man staged a midday auto race at Cincinnati Gardens last night. Promoter Ed Otto apparently thought that was an easy way to get rid of the jalopies at the end of the season.

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Baseball
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Yesterday's Scores
Cincinnati (N) 12 Washington (A)
3. Cleveland (A) 5 New York (N)
4. Boston (A) 6 Columbus (AA) 1.
Philadelphia (A) 15 Richmond (Piedmont) 8.
St. Louis (A) 1 St. Louis (N) 0.
Brooklyn (N) 11 Baltimore (L) 7.
Other games cancelled rain.

Fights Last Night
By The Associated Press
Chicago — Ike Williams, 145 1-2, Trenton, N. J., outpointed Fitzie Pruden, 145 1-2, St. Catherine's, Ont., 10 non-title.
Miami Beach, Fla. — Danny Nordeck, 171 1-2, Tampa, stopped Nick Barone, 178 1-2, Syracuse, 10.

believe Bunt "intended to kill his parents when he burned the house down." He said he wasn't asking a death penalty, possible on conviction of first degree murder, but believed that Bunt should be punished.

Holt, on the other hand, declared: "I don't want any compromise verdict in this case. Let's either send him to the electric chair or turn him loose. If he's guilty of what he has been accused of, the electric chair is too good for him."

Spectators swarmed to congratulate Bunt when the verdict was announced and more than 200 persons shook his hand before he could leave the courtroom.

The trial started April 6.

Red Hunters
Question
More Actors

Washington, April 12 — (UP) — House Red hunters denied today that they are "persecuting" witnesses in the investigation of communism in Hollywood.

The denial was made as the house un-American activities committee called up Screen Writer Richard Collins, 36, for questioning. Collins was expected to be a "friendly" witness.

Hollywood Writer Robert Lees, identified by Actor Sterling Hayden as a Communist, complained to the committee yesterday that it had "destroyed" his 17-year writing career in the film industry.

Lees accused the committee of creating a "blacklist" which he said is not American. He said many witnesses can't find film jobs after testifying.

Lees refused to say whether he is a Communist or to answer other questions about communism, on grounds of self-incrimination.

However, Chairman John S. Wood, (D-Cal), told reporters that "in no instance of a man who truthfully and frankly answered questions have there been any repercussions."

"If he answers truthfully and the true answers of his conduct are unfavorable," Wood added, "that's his own responsibility."

Both Lees and Geer, a 48-year-old character actor, refused to answer most questions yesterday.

New Korean
Peace Bid
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Sports Mirror

By The Associated Press

Today A Year Ago — The Cleveland Indians gave third baseman Kenny Keltner his unconditional release.

Five Years Ago — Ben Carnevale, former basketball coach at North Carolina State, was signed to Coach Navy.

Ten Years Ago — Boston Bruins won their fourth straight victory over the Detroit Red Wings 2-1, to capture the Stanley Cup Hockey playoffs.

Twenty Years Ago — The Washington Huskies established a new three-mile record in beating California's varsity crew at Oakland.

that the aggressor brand still was a stumbling block. The 12-nation Asia-Arab group that resumed conferences last week on a Korean peace formula was reported trying to figure out some way to soft-pedal the aggression resolution and convince Peiping it ought to talk with the U. N.

The group also was reported holding off on any new appeal until the Peiping regime's attitude on the MacArthur ouster had a chance to harden.

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Entame said the committee did not discuss a new peace proposal at this time.

Sven Graftstrom, Swedish representative on the committee, said that Sweden's minister is always ready in Peiping to transmit an answer to the U. N. on the committee's original appeal for cease-fire talks.

Red China has thus far kept up its threat to ignore the committee, set up under an assembly resolution which branded the Peiping regime as aggressors in China.

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Conservation Hikes Output, Protects Land

The Agricultural Conservation program provides the Nation with an effective means of increasing its food supply as well as to protect the land for future production, says Carl N. Martindale, Chairman of the Hempstead County PMA Committee.

Too often, he said, conservation is looked upon only as a means of protecting resources for the future. For instance, pasture improvement plans more protective cover to con-

trol erosion. The growth above the ground slows down run off and in that way keeps good top soil from being washed away.

The roots hold the soil together and as old roots are replaced with new ones, organic matter in the soil is built up. Organic matter is added by the top growth that dies down each year. And in the case of legumes, the nitrogen supply in the soil which in turn means more meat, milk and other livestock products. Thus, production goes right along with the conservation. Grasses and legumes used in rotations are effective in increasing the yields of corn and similar crops.

The organic matter returned to the soil through this practice also is effective in preventing erosion since one of the first steps toward erosion is the breakdown of the soil structure resulting from a loss of organic matter. The cover crops protect the land while growing, and when turned under from green manure, increase the yields of the crops which follow.

In these and numerous other instances, conservation and production go hand in hand. By assisting farmers in carrying out conservation practices, the Agricultural Conservation Program is at the same time helping to obtain the all out production needed now in the defense effort. Whether the Nation gets the production adjustments needed in the current emergency will depend largely upon farmer understanding of the requirements. Clarence J. McCormick, Under Secretary of Agriculture recently told

a group of PMA Committeemen. Since farmer committeemen will be called on to explain production guides and the need for them, much depends on these committeemen.

"As a Nation, we want the farmers to produce more—more mean, more grain, more of the other crops, but we want each of them produced on land that is fitted for that particular crop," Mr. McCormick said. "We want to keep pasture land in grass to produce the livestock and dairy products that are sure to be as vitally needed in our mobilization effort. We want and need great production, but we want each farmer to make these increases in production which will best utilize his resources. While ACP has proved its usefulness as a conservation measure, it can also be very useful as an incentive to the right kind of production."

We ought to examine all the national farm programs carefully to keep them applicable to changing situations. This campaign we are fighting on the farm front is not a one shot battle. We must be sure that all the farm programs have long term value.

If our programs are to be flexible the first requisite is that the committeemen keep their minds flexible. The Nation depends on you to carry the word to the farmer after programs have been formed. But even before this, the Nation depends on you to cooperate with other interested groups and agencies in forming the right programs.

We are fortunate in having built democracy directly into the admin-

PRESCOTT NEWS

Thursday, April 12

The Parent Teachers Association will hold their regular monthly meeting on Thursday afternoon at the Park School.

The choir of the Presbyterian church will meet at 7 o'clock Thursday evening for rehearsal.

The Kiwanis club meets each Thursday at 8:15 p. m. for a dinner meeting.

The W. M. C. of the Assembly of God will meet Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

The Red River Baptist Hour can be heard over radio station KVRG, Arkadelphia each Sunday at 2:15.

Illustration of our agricultural action programs. For nearly 20 years now farmers have been administering their own farm programs through elected committeemen in all the agricultural counties of the country.

We must make democracy strong in our Nation in order that we may be a living example of things that are good to the free countries of Europe and Asia and to all of the world, so that by our toil and sacrifice, if necessary, we shall have peace with freedom and justice for all.

The youth Fellowship of the Presbyterian church will meet Sunday at 5:45 p. m. Supper will be served by Mrs. T. M. Bemis and Mrs. C. F. Pittman.

The Young People of the Methodist church will meet Sunday at 6 p. m. for worship; fellowship and recreation.

The Pioneer Fellowship of the Presbyterian church will meet Sunday at 3 p. m.

The Youth choir of the First Baptist church will have rehearsal Sunday at 5 p. m. the training union will meet at 6:30 p. m.

Tuesday, April 17. The Prescott garden club will meet next Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 in the home of Mrs. L. J. Bryson with Mrs. Watson White Jr. and Mrs. Burkes Shelton as co-hostess.

Mrs. Roy Stainton, Hostess To Circle No. 1 Of the W. M. U.

Mrs. Roy Stainton was hostess to circle 1 of the W. M. U. of the First Baptist Church at her home on Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Stainton opened the meeting with prayer. Mrs. Irma Martin gave an inspiring devotional talk. The study on "The Character of Hagar," was given by Mrs. Stainton.

Sawyer Others Up on Charge of Contempt

Washington, April 12—(AP)—Secretary of Commerce Sawyer and other high government officials have been called before the U. S. Court of Appeals here today to answer its charges of "contemptuous and contumacious" conduct.

The charges stem from the long, bitter legal battle for control of a big American steamship line.

Government lawyers prepared a new plea for a delay in the action against the officials. And the chief justice of the United States said last night he would be ready to interfere if necessary.

Attorney General McGrath and Solicitor General Philip B. Perlman conferred with Chief Justice Vinson for more than three hours yesterday. McGrath contended that continuation of the contempt proceedings would lead to further conflict among federal courts and cause more confusion in the litigation over the government-controlled American President Lines.

In denying this motion, the court said it could be renewed today "if necessary thereof appears." The court has set forth a long list of acts and statements by Sawyer and others, including Perlman, Deputy Attorney General Peyton Ford and Undersecretary of Commerce Philip B. Fleming which it says are in defiance and disobedience of its orders. It also accuses the government officials of attempting "to obstruct and defy" the court's jurisdiction.

The business was conducted by the circle chairman, Mrs. Loyce Anderson.

Circle 2 Meets In Little Rock. Circle 2 of the W. M. U. of the First Baptist Church met on Monday afternoon in the home of Mrs. J. Bryson Ritchie with twelve members present.

Mrs. Eddie Danner, chairman, had charge of the business period. Mrs. Fred White gave the study on the eleventh chapter of Genesis. Mrs. Hody Butler closed the meeting with prayer.

A delicious dessert course was served during the social hour.

Mrs. Nat Woosely Has Circle 3 of W. M. U. Mrs. Nat Woosely was hostess to the W. M. U. of the Baptist church at her home on Monday afternoon. The business was conducted by the chairman, Mrs. Ed Hasley. Mrs. Jack Cooper presented the devotional and conducted the round table discussion on "The Character of Hagar." The meeting closed with prayer by Mrs. Watson White Jr. A delectable salad course was served to the thirteen members present.

Mrs. Alma Martindale Jr. Honored Mrs. Alma Martindale Jr. was honored with a surprise pink and blue shower given by Mrs. H. E. Burckdale, Mrs. Ed Hasley and Mrs. Kenneth Colford on Wednesday evening. The sixteen guests met in the home of Mrs. Burckdale and went to the home of Mrs. Martindale. Games were enjoyed during the evening.

The honoree was presented a baby rattle corsage and many useful and lovely gifts. Ice cream and cake was served by the hostesses.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Reeves motored to the State Senatorium Sunday and were accompanied home by Mr. M. H. Bailey.

Mrs. Robert Maxwell of Texarkana has been the guest of her parents Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Hays.

Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Queen of Little Rock spent Sunday in Prescott. Dr. Queen delivered the sermon at the First Baptist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Faddo Craver Jr. of Ft. Smith were the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Bemis. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Bemis.

W. F. Robey Jr. returned to his home in Little Rock after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Robey and sons.

Col. and Mrs. Eddley Loomis and daughter Mickey of Little Rock and Miss Ina Loomis of Ouachita College, Arkadelphia, were the week-end guests of relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlton McRae and children of El Dorado were the week-end guests of Mrs. Mary Montgomery.

Miss Lilla Buchanan of Texarkana has been the guest of relatives.

Carol Wynn of El Dorado visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Wynn over the week-end.

Miss Artie Goss has returned to Little Rock after a visit with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. C. H. Goss.

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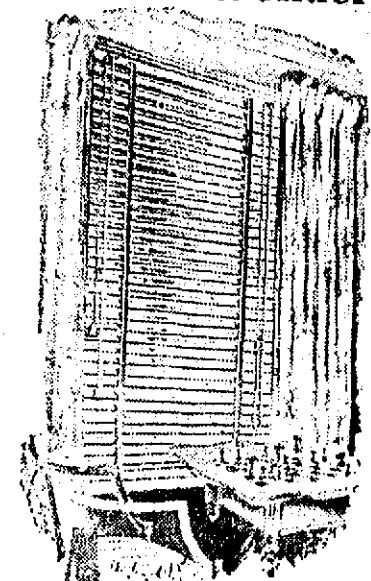
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Stabilization Board to Be Selected

Washington, April 12 — (AP) — President Truman probably will have to name a new wage stabilization board with only public membership. He is expected to act within the next 48 hours.

Those opinions were expressed today by both industry and labor leaders called to another White House meeting of the President's mobilization advisory board.

The government is under great pressure to set up a board to handle scores of disputes piling up behind the wage freeze.

Economic stabilizer Eric Johnston has said if labor and management cannot agree on what kind of board should supplant the one labor boycotted nearly two months ago, the President has hardly any alternative but to set up a board with only public representation.

Leaders of the united labor policy committee have stood fast for weeks in favor of a board which would handle nearly all disputes as they arise.

They say that since wages are frozen and there is a stigma attached to striking during the mobilization emergency, a wage board should handle all sorts of labor-management disputes.

Management spokesmen — representing the National Association of Manufacturers, U. S. Chamber of Commerce, business advisory council of the commerce department, and the committee for economic development — were equally insistent on having a board which would handle only wage problems.

Other disputes, the management leaders say, should and could be handled under the peacetime Taft-Hartley act governing labor-management relations.

But Mr. Truman and his top mobilization lieutenants contend that agreement is necessary before a tripartite board can operate successfully under the defense production act.

DOROTHY DIX

Jealous Of Ma

Dear Miss Dix: Once or twice a week I like to take my mother out to a show or to dinner. Most of the fellows I know like to do the same, but to show our mothers a little kindness and courtesy seems to be a crime with the girls nowadays. If a boy is halfway decent to his mother, he is due for some catty remarks about being tied to Mammy's apron strings. Can you tell me why a girl expects a man to regard his mother as a nuisance, a bore and a pest? I enjoy being with my mother and I am proud of her. I like to take girls out, but I'll be darned if I like listening to a diatribe against women who are the mothers of boys I have known all my life.

Answer: Probably the reason that girls resent their boy friends showing any attention to their mothers is because they want to monopolize all of their time and money. They thought that Tom or John is giving Mother a good time while they are at home turns them sour.

Nobody, however, can explain the antagonism that virtually all young women feel against the mothers of the men with whom they go about. It seems to be congenital, like the hatred of snakes, with which they are born. No matter how angelic Mother may be, no matter how cordial and friendly, they look upon her with suspicion and resentment and are far more jealous of her than they are of any rival of their own age.

Should Be Sympathetic
Considering that all girls have mothers themselves, you would think that their attitude toward boys' mothers would be full of understanding and sympathy, and that they would applaud Sam and Bill for their attentions to their mothers. But, unfortunately, girls don't feel that way. They think they should have the orchids, the candy, the theatre tickets and the automobile rides and that they are being defrauded of their just rights and privileges when those favors are bestowed upon a mere mother instead of upon them. Hence the claws.

It is selfishness. It is greediness. It is the possessive instinct. It is jealousy of the woman who was a man's first love and who has been part of his life that makes girls catty about men's mothers. And there is no help for it. They were born that way.

Dear Dorothy Dix: My husband and I have been married a few years and have been very happy. Not long ago, however, he threw a thunderbolt into our peaceful home by suddenly telling me he was tired of me that he had ceased to love me, that he was through and was going off with another woman, and that I must get a divorce. He went and in less than three weeks he was back, crestfallen, disheveled, humble and penitent, begging me to forgive him and take him back and never to mention the matter again. I promised and am making good on my word. The woman seems to have disappeared into thin air. I don't understand men. Are they all like this?

Answer: No woman understands men. Perhaps they don't understand themselves, especially as regards their reactions toward women.

Your husband has just had a brain storm. He succumbed to a sudden attack of boredom. He had one of those reactions toward familiar things which most of us experience at times. He yearned for adventure, for the things that he thought would put a little pep into existence and when he got them he found out that he didn't want them at all. He realized that you were the woman he loved and that there was an other woman for him: that no hotel held the comfort and rest that home did, and that happiness was to be found only on his own hearthstone, out in far places.

And so he came back to home and Mother, and you were wise to take him back, spank him, kiss him and forgive him as every mother does when her little boy plays hooky. But he has had his lesson. He will not roam again. And he will never know, and you will never know why he did it this time.

Dear Dorothy Dix: I am 32 years old, engaged to a man who earns enough for us to live on but who seems reluctant about getting married. Last year we had the wedding date set and he put it off at the last minute. I love my fiancé and he is

McClellan Says Job-Selling Charges True

Jackson, Miss., April 12 — (AP) — Sen. McClellan (D-Ark.) says the national Democratic committee co-operated with Mississippi pro-Union Democrats accused of selling federal jobs.

McClellan's charges came during a hearing on the job-selling charges here yesterday, after two state pro-Union leaders admitted seeking party contributions but denied selling jobs.

The Mississippi pro-Union leaders were Curtis Rogers, secretary of the Mississippi Democratic committee, and Clarence E. Hood, a pro-Union leader, who had been charged with selling federal jobs.

Their organization was formed in 1948 after the state's regular Democratic group bolted to the States' Rights, who now control the state. The older group's national committee, which was recognized by the national committee, which seated Hood instead.

Hood was fired by the national group after the charges of job-selling were made by senators — East-

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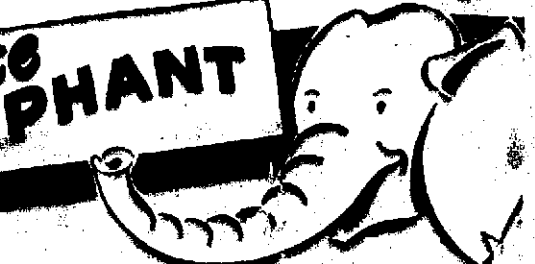
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Solid colors and patterns, with buttoned plackets. Softened and buttoned. Boys' 4 to 10.

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MEN'S SPORT SHIRTS

Racing Take Breakdown Is Changed

Little Rock, April 11.—(AP)—The Arkansas revenue department today discovered some discrepancies in its figures on the state's take of cents accumulated in the pari-mutuel betting at Oaklawn Park race track.

The revenue department reported today that the city of Hot Springs is entitled to \$37,043.34 as its share of the odd cents or breakage. It first was thought \$37,000 would receive \$40,000.

The revenue department auditor explained it this way:

The Arkansas legislature adopted a law which divided the odd cents three ways—one third each to the state, Hot Springs and Johnella, owner of the Hot Springs track.

Prior to adoption of the law,

March 6, all the breakage went to the state.

At Hot Springs, city officials reported they had received a check for \$11,500.

At Little Rock State Treasurer Vance Clayton said more money will be distributed later.

The revenue department also reported the state collected \$694,077.60 in taxes during the 30-day period ending March 31.

Here is a breakdown on taxes collected:

A five per cent tax on pari-mutuel betting \$530,027.80.

Daily operating fees \$15,000,000.

A 10 per cent tax on admission \$13,336.70.

Miscellaneous fees \$10,217.00.

Breakage \$60,732.40.

Sales tax \$7,702.45.

Revere's Ride

Paul Revere rode from Charleston to Lexington to give warning of the approach of the British troops. Exact length of his ride is not known definitely, but it is estimated at about 10 to 12 miles.



ONE FOR THE ROAD—Only man in the U. S. able to ride in his automobile and watch TV at the same time is William B. McDonald, Jr., Chicago house-trailer manufacturer, who had it custom-built into the back of his 1951 Cadillac. Frances Sadowski watches a program. Control panel is on arm rest of rear seat.

Pen-Jel Head Praises Paper Advertising

Kansas City, Mo.—White colorful national magazine advertising and network radio or TV programs may make consumers "brand conscious" of a food product, America's housewives make most of their grocery shopping decisions through the local newspapers, according to Victor E. Speas, president of Pen-Jel Corporation. This year, as in the past, a major share of the Pen-Jel household product advertising budget will go into carefully selected newspapers throughout Pen-Jel's market area. The Hope Star is one of the 450 selected for this 1951 Pen-Jel campaign.

"Our experience has shown us that housewives do much of their grocery shopping in the local newspaper," said Mr. Speas. "They have learned to trust it for its news and to rely on it for the best purchases. Pen-Jel, a natural apple product, appeals to the real homemaker—the woman who makes jam and jelly for her family. She is a careful housewife, one who demands the most and best for

her money. We have found that Pen-Jel Newspaper advertising has appealed to her in the past—and the constantly increasing sale of Pen-Jel through local newspaper advertising indicated that Pen-Jel's aid in her jam and jelly making has won her approval."

No Change in Census Figures

Washington, April 11.—(AP)—The census bureau, which already had announced Arkansas' 1950 population count at 1,909,511—yesterday listed final population figures by counties.

The county population figures include:

Arkansas 23,665; Bradley 15,987; Clark 22,998; Columbia 28,770; Dallas 12,418; Desha 25,155; Drew 17,559; Faulkner 25,289; Garland 47,102; Grant 9,024; Hempstead 25,089; Hot Spring 22,181; Izard 9,073; Jackson 25,912; Jefferson 76,680; Little River 11,690; Lonoke 27,278; Miller 32,814; Montgomery 6,680; Nevada 14,781; Ouachita 33,051; Perry 5,978; Phillips 46,254; Pike 10,032; Pulaski 196,685; Saline 23,316; Sebastian 64,202; Union 49,688; White 38,040; Yell 14,057.

Catfish appear to have extraordinary bearing ability, according to the Encyclopedia Britannica.

Main Points About Heated Debate

By JAMES MARLOW

Washington, April 12.—(AP)—Here are a few main points to keep in mind before the uproar and confusion over the firing of General MacArthur is worse, which they will.

A lot of hot stuff already has been thrown into the steaming pot and, when heatedly stirred, won't make for clarity of thought; strategy, civilian control over military commanders, emotions, and politics.

But first there's the talk in congress of impeaching President Truman for firing the general. At this point it comes only from Republicans and is apparently strictly sound effect stuff.

One of the most powerful Republican senators told a reporter: "It was said more to 'scare' Mr. Truman than anything else. He pointed out it probably would be impossible to do."

On a question like that, he said, the Democrats and Republicans would be likely to split along party lines and, since the Democrats are in a majority, the Republicans couldn't win.

Strategy—Several months ago Mr. Truman said that, with Asia mostly Communist now, we'd be alone in the world if we lost our Allies in Western Europe though attack by Russia.

To prepare against such an attack, since Russia is looked upon as the main enemy, this country and its European allies are trying to build their defenses. This may take several years.

To avoid wasting lives and material in Asia, this country and its Allies are trying to reach a settlement with China in Korea. The Truman administration thinks this may be done if the fighting can be limited to Korea.

General MacArthur had been ordered to limit the fighting to Korea. He wanted to make all-out war on the Chinese Communists pour men and supplies into the Korean fighting.

Further, he wanted to use Chiang Kai-shek's anti-Communist troops on Formosa for an invasion of China proper, thus forcing the Communists to fight on a second front.

But if China's Manchuria was attacked and Chiang got into the fight, we'd be in all-out war with China and there'd be no hope of peace in Asia.

Also it would require great forces of men and supplies which otherwise could be used in Europe.

More than that, Russia might not only come to China's assistance in Asia but might also attack in Europe before our Allies there were ready.

In short, the Truman administration viewpoint and policy go like this:

So long as we don't get into a general war anywhere, a general war may be avoided.

General MacArthur's view was this: At the rate we're going in Korea, the fighting there may go on endlessly, without any peace anyway; better to try to smash China once for all.

Civilian control over military commanders—If MacArthur had thought that, but followed orders and kept his views to himself, there would have been no dispute. Instead, he made his views public. More, he defied orders to keep his mouth shut.

The Truman view was that this made peace tougher to achieve in Asia.

This country is based on the principle that the civilian leaders are supreme and that military leaders must take orders from them. Mr. Truman looked upon MacArthur's defiance as a defiance of that principle.

It brought up the basic question: Who's boss, the President or the general? Mr. Truman decided it by firing MacArthur.

Politics—Republican in congress have supported MacArthur and are supporting him now. If they keep the pot boiling now, they'll shake public confidence in Mr. Truman's leadership some more.

They've already shaken it a lot by their attacks on him and his policies.

The emotional side—All kinds of people are mixed in this emotionally. Parents with sons in Korea; parents with sons who might be in a third world war; and people who think Communism, whether in China or Europe, should be smashed anytime they make a move, without regard to over-all strategy.

If now there's no peace in Korea and Asia, and the fighting drags on endlessly, there'll be plenty of this reaction: "MacArthur was right."

The reaction will be in favor of Mr. Truman if peace is achieved in Asia and no third world war breaks out.

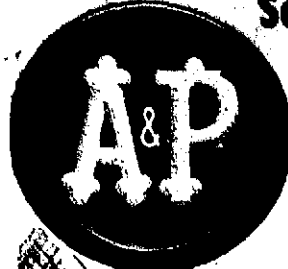
But no matter which is proven right by events, the basic question remains unchanged: Should the President of the United States let any military commander defy him?

Dates From Tiles

Decorated clay tiles, stamped with the date of their manufacture and used in Persian buildings of the Middle Ages, have enabled historians to fix the date of many Persian works of art bearing similar decorations.

The U.S. has an official language: Chinese, English, French, German, and Spanish.

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If you think foods can't be both high in quality and low in price, you'll change your mind when you try A&P's famous Ann Page Foods. These top quality foods are made in A&P's modern kitchens under the supervision of specialists. Then they're shipped to your store, unnecessary in-between expenses are eliminated and you share in the savings and enjoy the best.

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These are the policies that guide A&P operations at all times.

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They are your assurance that if, for any reason, your purchase is not satisfactory, your money will be cheerfully refunded.

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- Ann Page Pure Vanilla Extract... 2-oz. 22¢
- Ann Page Salad Mustard... 1-oz. 12¢
- Aunt Ellen's Pi-Do For Flaky Pie Crust... 7-oz. 12¢
- A&P Grapefruit Juice... 46-oz. 21¢
- Gomac Orange Juice... 46-oz. Can 27¢
- Reliable Cut Wax Beans... No. 2 Can 19¢
- Iona Blackeye Peas... 2 16-oz. Cans 21¢
- Birds Eye Frozen Green Peas... 12-oz. 25¢
- A&P Crushed Pineapple... No. 2 Can 25¢
- Oven-Ready, Bake 'n' Eat BALLARD Biscuits... 2-pkg. 23¢
- High in Quality—Low in Price—Rajah Salad Dressing... Qt. 46¢
- Jane Parker Delicious Layer Cake Strawberry Coconut... Each 46¢

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- Florida Celery... 15¢
- Virginia Peanuts... 27¢
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- Red Circle Rich, Full-bodied... 79¢
- Bokar Coffee Vigorous, Winesap... 81¢

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- Dressed Whole Fresh Fryers... 65¢
- Hamburger Ground Beef... 65¢
- Chuck Roast Heavy Cut... 69¢
- Sirloin Steak Heavy Cut... 97¢
- Center Cut Pork Chops... 69¢
- Smoked Ham Butt or Shank Portion... 59¢
- Allgood Brand Bacon... 55¢
- Super-Right Bacon... 68¢
- Sliced Bologna... 55¢
- By the Piece Smoked Bacon... 49¢

Cin. of 48 Rich, Wonderful Our Own Tea Bags... 37¢

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All-Purpose Shortening dexo 3-lb. Can 1.95	Gets dirty hands clean Lava Soap Large Box 14¢	It's Big Cleaning Orange 1-lb. Can 14¢
Cleans Pets and Pans Bab-O 14-oz. Pkg. 12¢	Wholesome Dog Food Pure Dog Food 2-lb. Can 27¢	Petroleum Jelly Vaseline 8-oz. Jar 27¢
With Tender Meat Added From 12-oz. Can 52¢	For Salads, Cookin' Jewel Oil Pint Bottle 41¢	All-Purpose Shortening dexo 1-lb. Can 14¢
Smith's Hamburgers 10-oz. Can 52¢	Gold Chiffon X-Best Cake Mix 1-lb. Box 27¢	Chiffon 1-lb. Box 27¢

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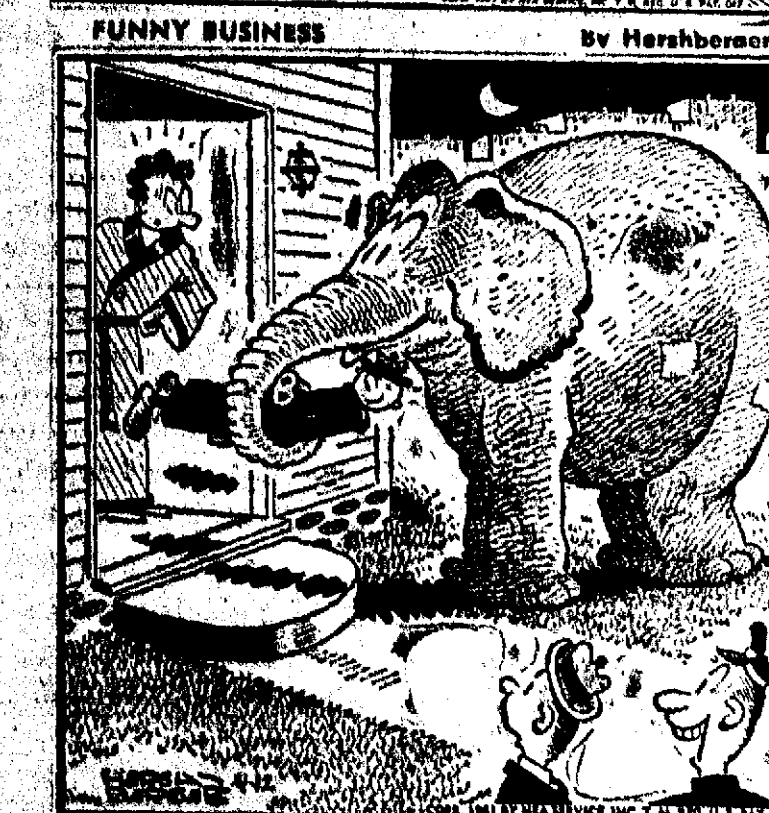
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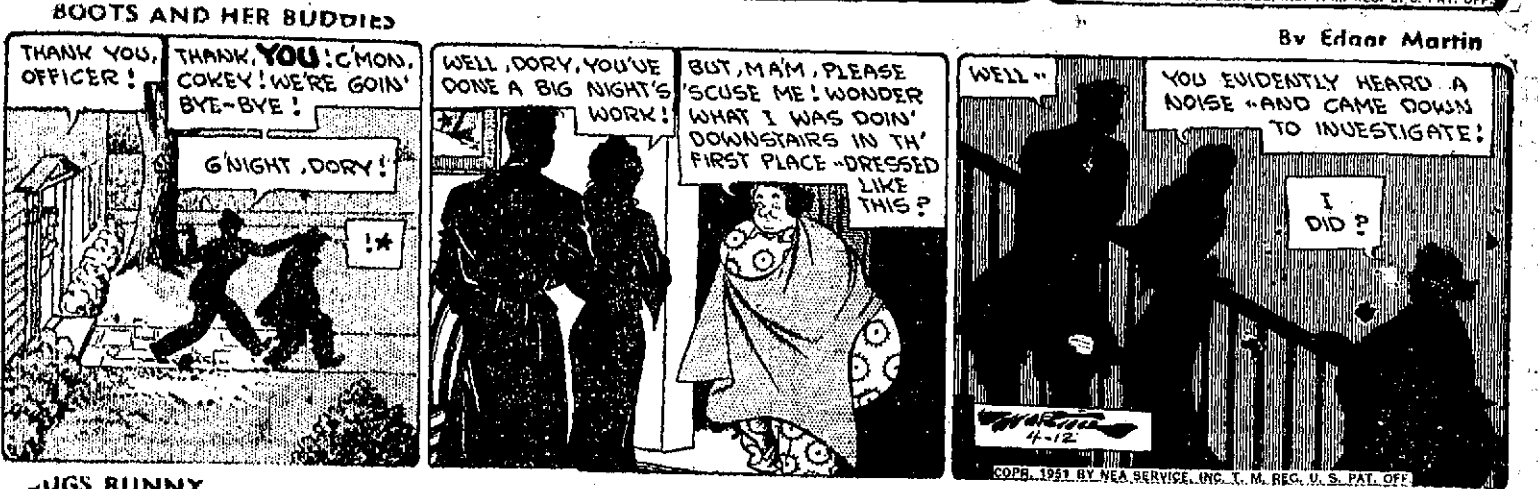
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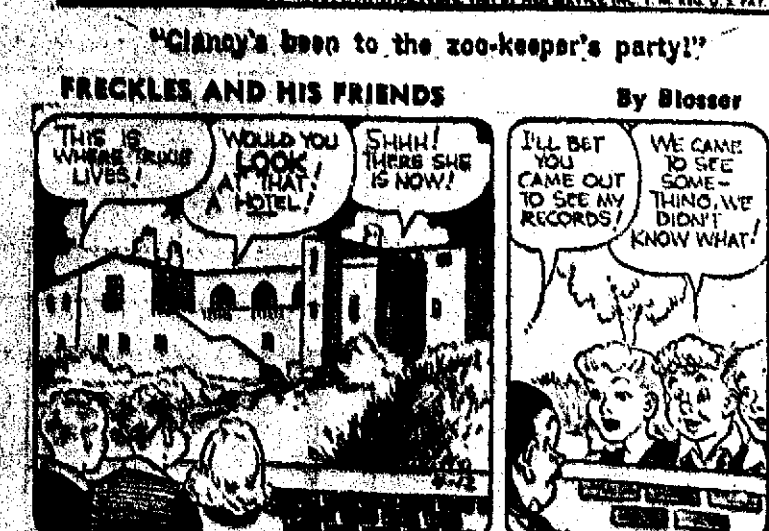
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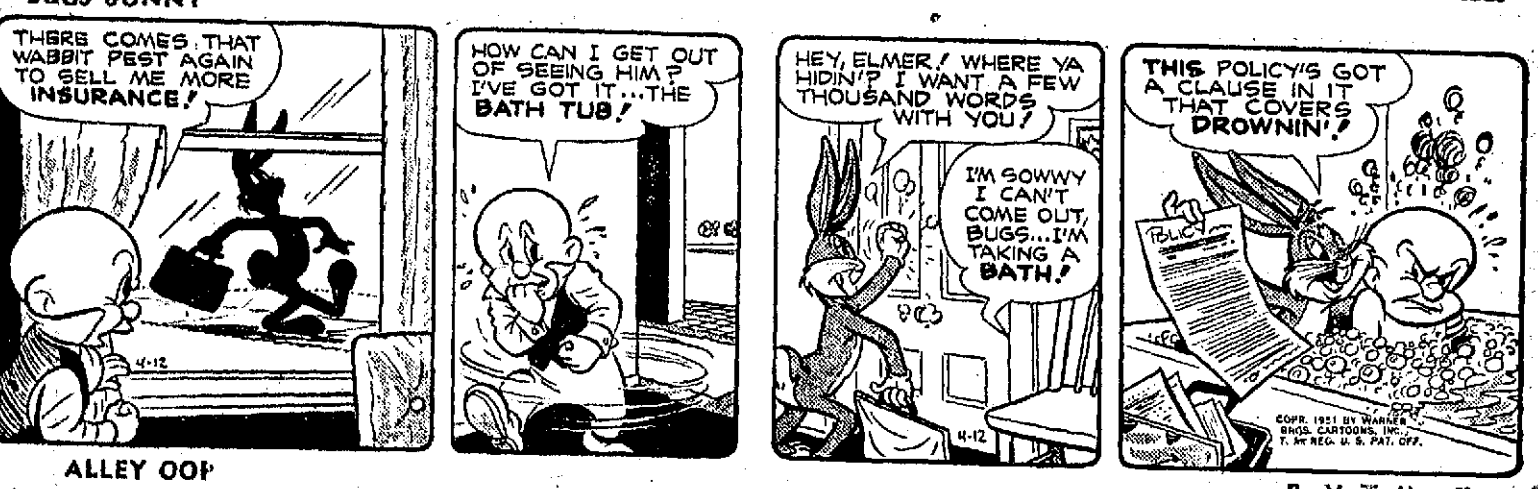
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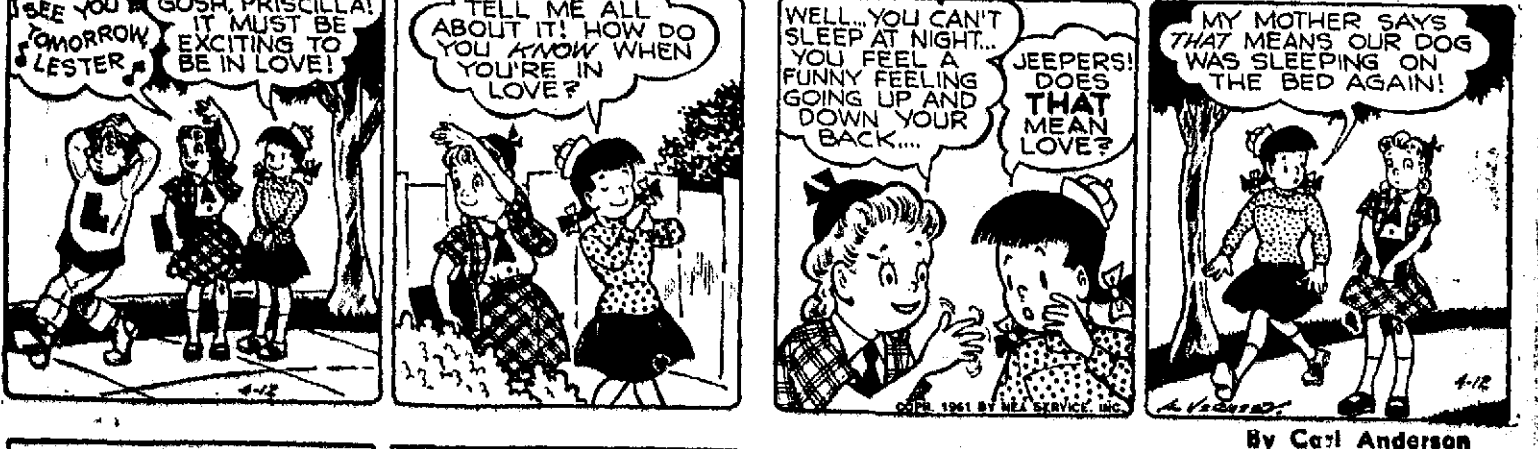
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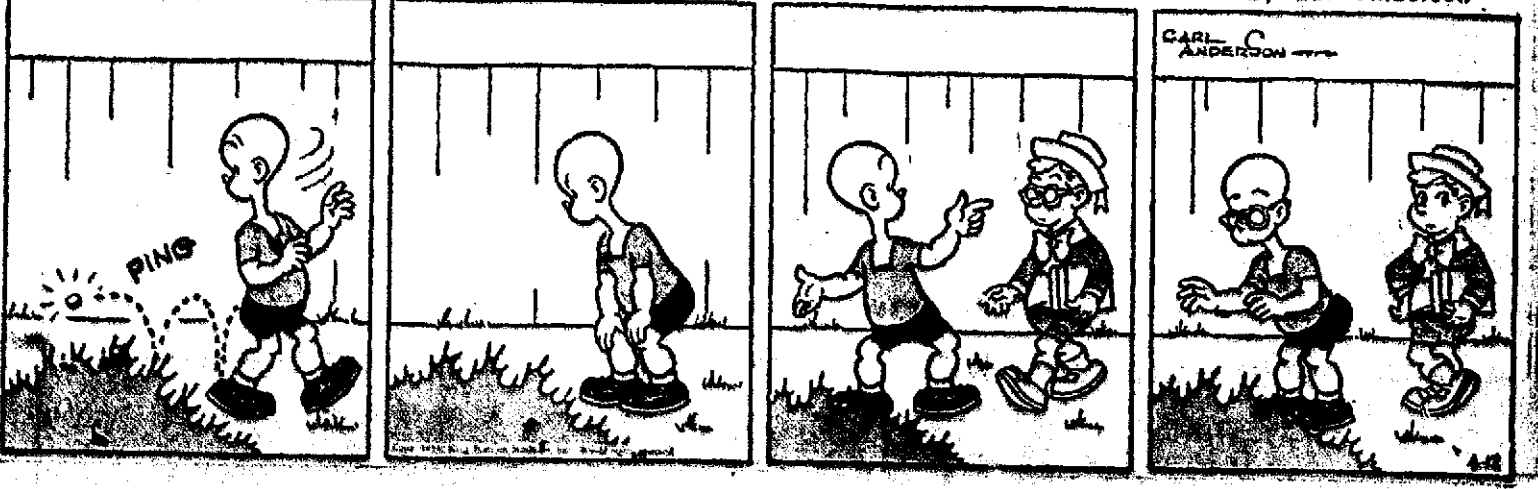
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KILLER'S PACE

BY JULIUS LONG

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THE STORY: Star Williams was a jury late sensation Hopeville on a murder charge, but when he appeared and now he is me, Jim Marshall, Star's attorney after her acquittal, that was the accidental killing of her husband, but she said it in protest Larry Stone, who says she is innocent, back in see Rose but she never heard and I am forced to kill a star in her house.

WILLIAMS stared at me through gimlet eyes while I told experiences during the trial. "I think it would be a idea to check on the Frater Sealed Vault Company," he said.

I phoned him back just and he denied that he had the call. Said somebody else had used his name.

McNamara, of e. McNamara stopped him contacting you as he had ed. I wonder why he wanted the first place. I'm also won some other things about . When he mentioned Rose it this noon, he said: "She round." And when I tried to him by saying she could tell ory, he came back with: "Oh, I wonder if he knew was already dead and how ew."

shrugged, "I don't put much in mixed tenses. People are ess with their grammar. 's use of the past tense may enn a thing. And, by the way, Feldstein still phoned that er's filed the disbarment peti- gant me."

ell, he didn't lose any time, out to get you, Star. You've a monkey out of him too times."

He smiled wryly. "He may nail e this time. With Rose Bid-

and living it would have been hard enough to prove her inno- cent. Now that she's dead in may be impossible. I wonder who could have made things so tough for me."

I studied. "Larry Stone is my bet. With Rose dead nobody can testify that he was with her the night of Barney's murder. I can't testify, because anything I could say would be hearsay. Right?"

"Right. Rose's death puts Stone in the clear. But I can't quite be- lieve it's that simple. Now, I won- der why that prowl was there if he wasn't after money or jewelry."

"I'm sure I don't know, but I am sure he didn't murder her. I'd rather peg Dave Grafton."

Star eyed me in puzzlement. I hadn't told him about Grafton following me, so I explained.

"Grafton will squawk to the po- lice about your being there."

"That's all right—I told Mer- cia I was."

"And he'll believe it's only be- cause Grafton knew about it any- talking to do."

I shrugged. "You haven't said what you think about Dave Graf- ton for the job."

"Dave's not the type. I've known him for years. He'd steal the gold out of his clients' teeth, but he'd get a court order for it first. He'd never commit a crime of violence."

"Well, he might be forced to. I can figure plenty of motives for Grafton. He had been Barney Bidault's attorney for years, and was executor under his will with a \$2,000,000 estate to settle."

Star still shook his head. "No, Jim. Even if Dave pulled a few fast ones with the estate, he'd cover himself up. He's mighty shrewd, that boy. His brains made Barney Bidault the wealthy man he was. Barney made all his money by backing somebody else with an idea. If the idea flopped,

al. He is chairman of the TV com- mittee.

College games were widely tele- vised last fall, and some people blamed TV for a decline in gate receipts. It was argued that small college games in particular were hit by the network coverage.

After the N.C.A.A. called for a curb, the issue bounced into poli- tics. Bills were proposed in Illi- nois and Oklahoma requiring the state universities to televise their games. The universities replied that under the N.C.A.A. mandate other colleges would refuse to play them.

Adoption of the proposal by the N.C.A.A. national committee seems certain. Probably this arrangement will satisfy the justice depart- ment which raised the question of possible anti-trust law violation if television were shut off complete- ly.

Low Rent
The U. S. homestead system of granting public lands to settlers involved a rental of only one cent per acre per year, according to the Encyclopedia Britannica.

Heavy Population
The population per square mile in Puerto Rico is more than 10 times that of continental United States; 449 persons to the square mile is the figure for the island.

Barney dropped it cold. It turned out hot, Barney ran to Dave Grafton, who figured out some way to steal the idea from Barney's partner. Dave usually came through. He wouldn't miss on something like gutting Barney's estate. He would do it legally and with no cause for murder.

"Maybe so. I still think you ought to get an accounting in the estate."

Star eyed me wanly. "I don't know how I can—I'm not an inter- ested party. But I'll put a bug in the probate judge's ear, though I think you're barking up the wrong tree."

The inter-office unit came alive, and Kitty Coyle announced: "In- spector Merica calling."

WHEN Merica came in he took a chair near my own and frowned across the desk at Star.

"The coroner did a quick post- mortem and established the time of Rose Bidault's death. Right about noon. Maybe 15 minutes one way or an- other, but 12 o'clock noon is just about it. This leg-man of yours admits being there at about that time."

"I didn't admit it, Inspector. I told it of my own free will. The girl was alive and well when I checked out. There's something else I forgot to mention. Dave Grafton drove up as I was leaving. He wanted to see Rose about some- thing. I told him she'd knocked herself out and to come back some- downtown a few blocks. I don't remember exactly how far."

"Eight blocks. I've had a call from Grafton. He told me a cell tower higher than a kite when you left the Bidault house."

"Then Grafton's a liar. I had some drinks, but I wasn't trying to do off. What's Grafton trying to gain by that kind of talk?"

"I wonder," Merica looked away from me. "You don't have to tell me, Mr. Williams! We can't hold Jim Marshall until we get more on him than that. Frankly, I don't think he sketched that girl with that pair of scissors. But there's something funny about the guy he cooled. The guy was Rod La- Grange, a tough boy."

(To Be Continued)

25 Years Ago Today
From Files of Star of Hope

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Good Colonizers
An expert says that Cockneys make good settlers because they are adaptable, intelligent, reason- able, modest, and have a sense of humor.

After last night's game, Garver commented:

"Once I got past the first inning, I was all right. I couldn't get the ball where I wanted it. After that, I was going he ball, particu- larly he curve. In he high spots, I could have pitched another inning but I was getting a little tired."

He appeared unmoved by the fact that he was hurling no-hit ball. He wouldn't affirm or deny that he was conscious of the face in the late innings.

"I don't see that it makes much difference," he commented. "We won the game and played good ball doing it."

Costello and the others, some of whom seem to have had only a remote association which did not justify the use of the word "syndi- cate," were said to have aspired to political power in localities and even in regions crossing state lines. But this union racket, which enjoys the patronage of the Demo- cratic party and whose favor is south by much of the Republican party, aspires to economic and political domination of the whole republic under a code of rules and conduct as crooked as Adolf Hitler's. These are facts.

Refuser sat on a subcommittee of the judiciary committee of the house early in World War II which heard uncontested testimony prov-

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"Once I got past the first inning, I was all right. I couldn't get the ball where I wanted it. After that, I was going he ball, particu- larly he curve. In he high spots, I could have pitched another inning but I was getting a little tired."

He appeared unmoved by the fact that he was hurling no-hit ball. He wouldn't affirm or deny that he was conscious of the face in the late innings.

"I don't see that it makes much difference," he commented. "We won the game and played good ball doing it."

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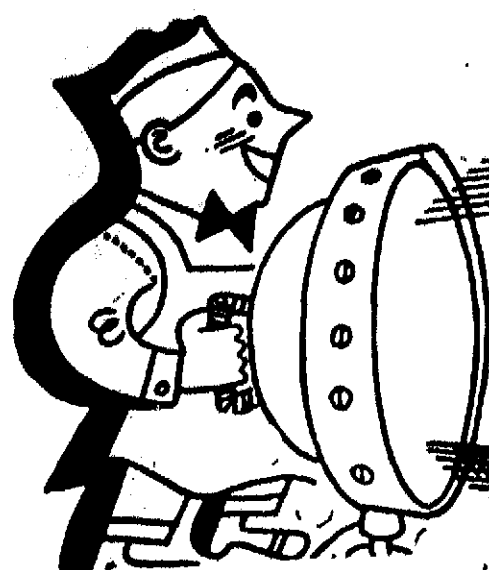
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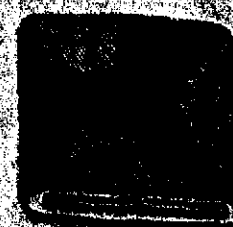
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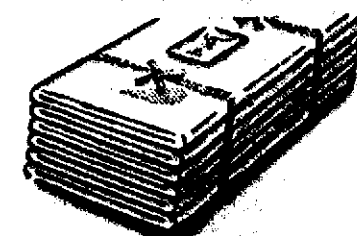
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